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Commissioner of Trademarks
2900 Crystal Drive
Arlington, VA 22202-3514

Dear Commissioner of Trademarks:

Subject: Registration mark 2,772,766

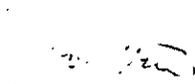
While researching my awarded trademark "San Dimas Guitars The California Guitar Company" on the Internet, I learned that a cancellation proceeding has been filed with the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board. I also learned that the Fender Musical Instrument Corporation (FMIC) has recently applied for a trademark that is similar to my awarded mark. This leads me to believe that FMIC is the party that filed for the cancellation.

This is the first that I have learned of these proceedings. I assume that some response from me is expected, but being unfamiliar with these matters, I have no idea how to respond or in what format. In order to prepare an appropriate reply, it would be helpful if I had a copy of FMIC's filing.

As a courtesy, I am sending a copy of this letter to FMIC.

Thank you for your attention to this request. I hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,


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